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#### LAND INVESTMENT MEETING.

#### SHAREHOLDER'S CRITICISMS.

#### CHAIRMAN DEFENDS DIVIDEND POLICY.

One of the largest attended Company meetings held in the bonus now proposed, is approved, Colony in recent years was that of the Hongkong Land Investment as it doubtless will be, being the and Agency Co., Ltd., which was held to-day at noon in the Board | most generous in the history of Room of Messrs, Jardine Matheson, and Co., Ltd. It had been pre- the Company. That is a record viously known that a number of questions were to be asked by a of which our senior Managing was only 39 years of are, had Below will be found a short sharsholder regarding the distribution of profits, and these were put Director may justly feel proud, by Mr. Kelly Sayco. The full report is below.

large number of shareholders.

meeting all administrative exagainst \$4,340,186,38 last year.

and for this reason the latters' tion. commission for the present year | I have gone into this matter exceeds that of 1923 although the somewhat fully, as a few weeks actual profits earned by the Com- ago your Directors received a pany are less. As regards the letter signed by a number of percent on the paid-up capital, profit and loss account, rents are shareholders, which suggested and to a commission of \$5 per slightly higher, and interest has that the whole of the profits made cont. on such nott profits for each improved by about \$220,000 by sales of property this year current year in which they as the result of the larger should be distributed as a bonus. amount advanced on mortgages. The sum of \$2,500,000 was moninvestments and proporties must the actual figure, as already be regarded in a different light mentioned, is \$1,874,683 30. The to the regularly earned income letter received also made mention of the Company as such gains are of the Praya East Reclamation non-recurrent, and mean that the Rights neld by the Company as revenue from such sources will being marketable at \$4,000,000. either cease or decrease. It would Doubtless the signatories of this therefore, he very detrimental to letter failed to appreciate the fact the interests of the Company to that a large portion of the Com- Directors' ideas in building up elucidation before the Governconsider distributing by way of pany's Reclamation Rights in the such a high profit of \$7,000,000 to dividend and bonus the whole of Eastern District had been dispos- the Reserve Fund when our prothis money, as it would seriously led of, and to estimate the present perties are worth, I believe, about affect the future earning capacity day value of our remaining Lots four times their book value and table.-Reuter. of the Company, and I think you at \$4,000,000 is very far from the knowing very well that our rewill agree that it is very desirable mark, and would require a sale clamation rights in Wanchai will for a Company like ours to main- figure of something in the neigh- bring us another three or four tain, as far as possible, an even bourhood of \$16 per square foot. | millions in the next three or four rate of dividend, and, when the Turning to the balance-sheet, years? result justifies it, to increase the you will notice debentures of roturn to shatcholders by payment \$1,500,000 taken over from the of your question has been fully of a bonus. This is the policy that | Central Estate have disapyour Directors have followed. Up peared. to, and including the year 1918, off on May 30th last, in we paid a regular dividend of \$7 accordance with the terms of the per share, equivalent to 7% on sale agreement on Prince's Build- dealt with when the day arrives. the paid-up value of the shares, ings, the sum being advanced by Undoubtedly your Directors will The dividend for subsequent years this Company on the security of give prudent reasons as they

par value.

par value.

1922 .- A dividend of \$10 and a serve account \$1,000,000; and bonus of \$8, making \$18 in all, carry forward \$773,124,38;

year ; our Directors are recom- glad to answer, to the best of my interest on mortgages is the without any dissentient vote. mondick a dividend and bonus ability, any questions sharewhich shows a return of 26 per holders may wish to put. cent. on the par value of the shares. To satisfy this, the sum of \$1,560,000 is required, whereas

Mr. B D. F. Beith presided and | cent. is collected in cash, the we way congratulate ourselves. there were also present Sir Paul balance remaining on mortgages, I beg to second the motion from typhoid. From the first, his con- Dorby penies, there being no Chater, Sir Robert Ho Tung, the you will, no doubt agree the chair. Very Royd. Father L. Robert, Mr. that your Directors are making H. P. White, Mr. A. H. Compton you the largest possible return (Directors), Mr. W. E. L. Shenton consistent in safegarding the (Solicitor), Mr. L. S. Greenhill Company's position, and at the (Secretary) and an extremely same time looking to the future. In this connection I may mon- the resolution to the meeting, the Colony in 1911, and ever since mounts. Mr. Dynasty has in-THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH. have been effected since last The Chairman said : -- Gentle- August, nor does the present mon,-The report and statement state of the property market of accounts, together with the suggest that the Company will auditor's report, having been in find this a material source of your hands for some days. I profit during the current twelve propose to follow the usual cus- | months, a factor which must not |

The total amount advanced on peneses, amounts to \$3,183,237.51 mortgages is now \$10,845,733.11, lagainst last year \$8,355,258.11, The latter figure, you will an increase of approxiremember, included \$1,306,632.83 mately \$2,500,000, and against gain accruing to our Company as this asset we have deemed to Article 95 B in the bevery genuinely regretted. He allow of 20 penies facing the a result of the amalgamation with it prudent to increase Reserve the Central Estate Company, Account by \$1,000,000. The ad-Limited. I may mention here vantages of carrying forward a that in last year's accounts this substantial sum to next year in profit was not included in the place of allocating the money to of the permanent and managing their heavy-bereavement. halance upon which the Manug- special account is obvious, and ing Directors' fees were reckoned, |calls for no particular explana-

profit on the sale of tioned as being available, whereas

These worn until 1923 has been as follows: - a mortgage on the latter Building, always have done in the past.-1919 .- A dividend of \$8 and a expiring in March, 1926. The (Hear, hear and applause). bonus of \$5, making \$13 in all, item "Accounts payable" is conwhich equalled 13 per cent. on siderably higher than last year, mission on all leans and mortas represented by the Company's gages? If so, do you think it is diplomats, University dignat-1920,-A dividend of \$8 and a cash position. The mortgage fair for us to leave the money bonus of \$6, making \$14 in all, granted on Prince's Buildings, carning about eight per cent. on after an imposing procession accounts for the difference. We Managing Directors to reap 1921 -A dividend of \$9 and a propose to pay a final dividend good harvest every year while we bonus of \$9, making \$18 in all, of \$2 and bonus of \$2.50 per share, shareholders have to beg for a which equalled 18 per cent. of absorbing \$1,080,000; pay a bonus better bonus when we have made keeping money out at eight per start whilst others have crocked paper Liberte reproduces in full, Japanese Government, "whose

trust that these proposals will Managing Directors entitled to I am only asking questions, Sir. off the Valley Stakes, which is a section of the Third Inter- Convention that the project had 1923, when the shares were meet with your entire approval. split—A dividend of \$3 and a I now beg to propose the adop- gages." Is that your first question? helder has any further questions, mile and a quarter has been isation of revolutions in colonies. Our action was being taken for which equalled a dividend of 20 as presented, and after this has first question. per ount in par value, and this been duly seconded I shall be

#### SECONDER'S SPEECH.

perties, \$1,874,683.20. Bearing in of the Company, for it paid to Directors according to the rants could be obtained by apply. It sent out. He ought to win Booran should also was property only 25 to 30, per position at what looks like think we are making much by morrow.

proving the end of activity that DEATH OF MR W. A. J. has provailed in the local property market for the past few i years. For the first ten years of its existence, the Company operated on a capital of two and a half millions and for the past 25 years on one of five millions. To-day its assets are very conservatively put at eleven millions, while from first to last its shareholders will have had some sixteen million dollars distributed to them, if the dividend and passed away at the Government training mornings are wendering ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL FUND. and on which we should some time, and he was admitted together with a few tips. congratulate him as heartily as

#### SHAREHOLDER'S QUESTIONS:

The Chairman said if there were no questions he would put

interest or rent?

directors and/or managing The funeral takes place this White), Mr. Crokam (for Mesars. directors shall be entitled to a evening, passing the Monument Toeg and Priestley), Mr. A. J commission of \$3.50 per cent. on at 5 p.m. the nett profits of the Company for each current year in which such nott profits amount to \$7 amount to \$10 per cent, or upwards on the paid-up capital. The figure for this year is arrived at by taking the balance of the profit and and loss account as \$3,183,237 51 and adding to that 930.60, and if you take ten por cont. of that you get the figure in question, namely, \$353,693.06.

The Chairman:-The first part doalt with in my speech. With regard to the second part of the question, about the potential profits you referred to, it will be

Mr. Sayco :- Do you got commortgages and allowing the to staff of \$8,000; place to re- a good profit like last year-1924? cent. Thank you, Sir.

The Chairman :- I think that idea of a dividend then? commission on interest and mort-

same as rentals and goes into the profit and loss account on which

reckoned.

COOPER.

ANOTHER TYPHOID VICTIM.

Typhoid fover has claimed another woll-known logal Josidont Civil Hospital this forenoon just what are the outstanding ponies after eleven o'clock.

to hospital just a fortnight ago; The Mooting will be remarkor twice and hope was not com- some entirely new stables, and pletely abandoned. He had a the famous stable of John Peel, away as stated.

Mr. Kelly Sayco rose and said: Department of the P.W.D. Prior Sir Paul, who will be attending London in the near future. This, other subjects, until Easter. -I should like to ask one or two to coming East, he was Engineer- his 60th. Race Moeting this year, it is held, might be advantageous, The Estimates for next year questions regarding the balance ing Assistant to the Board of has the largest individual stable, sheet. Can you please tell me, or Public Works in Dublin (1908-09) with 18 ponies. Mr. L. Dunbar toll the shareholders here, how do and Assistant Engineer of the is a new-comer, but at the you arrive at the amount of Baro-Cano Railway, Northern last moment has been disappoint-\$353,693.06 Managing Directors' Nigeria (1909-11). following which ed by the non-arrival of Mr. Ball, might with advantage be wide field. The Budget will not tom and take them as road. The be lest sight of in considering Foes for 1924? What is the rate he was, for a brief period, Assist- who was coming down from of commission and on what ac- ant Engineer of the Lagos Gov- Shanghai to ride for him. Prescount do they charge that amount? ornment. Railways in Southern sure of business was the reason. Is it on general sales or, on the Nigeria. During his residence in the Colony, he made very many The number of jockeys this The Chairman:-I reter you friends, by whom his demise will year will be sufficiently large to including France's debt which Articles of Association, which leaves a widow and two young starter in any one race. Those reads as follows:-"In ad- daughters, who are at present in down from Shanghai are Messrs. dition to his remuneration the Colony, and with whom the E. Moller and F. R. Vida (for Sir mentioned in Article 95 A, each utmost sympathy "il, be felt in Paul), Mr. Maitland (for John

BRITAIN'S SINCERE GOODWILL.

Paris, Fob. 9. goodwill and conciliatory spirit There ought to be large fields and \$353,693.06, which makes \$3,536. inspiring the British Note, and good sport. consider it forms an acceptable basis for discussion, but, irrespective of party, they consider the entrants are Local Option (John) various passages vague and ob-Mr. Sayco.-What are the scure, and that they require Dynasty). These two ponies, ment can move further.

Long and delicate negotiations are anyhow regarded as inevi-

#### HISTORIC LEYDEN.

HONO''R FOR THE SOVEREIGN.

Loydon, Feb. 9. The three hundred and, fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Loydon University has been colebrated by selemn conferment in the historic Pieters Kerk of the degree Doctor of Laws on Queen Wilhelmina, in the presthrough crowded streets.- Reuter.

mooting.

FORMAL BUSINESS. the Managing Directors' fees are Revd:-Father Robert were re- Taggart), Urgant, Perran II, is practically certain that they elected Directors, Mesers, Percy Teashop, Smart Crook, Poppy will all qualify. Other old Mr. Doacon, in seconding, said: Mr. Sayoe:-If we make enough Smith, Both and Flaming and Loaf and Mowgli. the noti receipts, from rentals, -It is easy, sir, for any constant to keep us going on morigages at Messrs. Linetead and Davis were interest, etc., total only \$737,972 - shareholder to say that he seconds eight per cent and we are paying re elected auditors at a remuner. Of the Old Ponies, Prince 26, a difference of nearly \$822,000 a report like this with pleasure— so very large Directors' fees, I do atton of \$750. each, and the Regent is not at present up to his ing still a goor. This remarkable representing almost 50 per cent. a report that, take it for all in all, not think there is very much left Chairman closed the meeting by usual form, but will give a good pony won the Ladies' Jurse in of the gain shown on sales of pro- is the best in the history for us because of the commission amounting that dividend war- account in any race in which he less always exown up

THE RACE.

SOME OUTSTANDING PONIES.

Derby and Champion Prospects.

With the annual Race Meeting in the person of Mr. W. A. J. starting on Monday next, lots of Cooper, land surveyor of the folk who are not of the band of public Works Department, who onthusiasts who line the rails on this year and also what are worth The deceased gentleman, who watching for place betting. been in rather poor health for review of this year's prospects,

anxiety, although he rallied once year's classic event. There are relapse this morning, and passed which has been a meagre one for some years, comes back again British Note. The late Mr. Cooper came to with quite a number of good had been employed in the Survey creased his string to 14, while

THE JOCKEYS. Peel), Mr. McBain (for Mr. H. P. Heard (for Mr. Dynasty), Mr. Hamovitch (for Mr. Rocha) and Mr. Encarnacao (for Mr. A. A. Alves), Others expected to arrive THE FRENCH DEBT. are Mr. Pirio, Mr. Morris and Dr. Zollensky (for Mr. Remedies) Mr. Gibson (for Dr. Kew), Harriman (for Mr. Carroll), Mr. Doyle (for Mr. Birkett) Thompson' (for Mr. Dyer), Seth, Mr. Nomazee, Mr. Pollock, The Press recognise the sincore Mr. Sewell, Capt. Hall and others.

> DERBY PONIES. The two outstanding Derby Poel) and King of Hearts (Mr. mixed-breeds which come within the height limit, have done some roally fast times in the training gallops, and stand out as being the two serious contestants for the event. There are at least three other very good ponies in this class, these being Chicago (Mossrs. Dunbar and Stanton) Mr. L. Dunbar's Gimlet, and Dr Kow's Wimora. All those ponies have done the mile and a half inside 3.25 and will give an account of themselves in whatever events they turn out for. Other Derby ponies showing up well are Beauty Dahlia. Arabian Parrot, The Wasp and Saracon, but they are short distance ponice good for anything

up to a mile and a quarter.

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS.

disappointment this year. Out foster an armed revolt of the speech at Burnley emphasising of the 90 which arrived in this masses in North Africa, and an- the need for a base at Singapore, Colony from Kalgan, only about nouncing the payment of a milli- refuted the suggestion that the 30 are left which will face on and half france as a subsidy action might be regarded as likethe starter, some having for this purpose. been obviously no good from the The letter, which the news- He pointed out that the during the training season is marked "Very secret", and friendship we value now as we The Chairman :- What is your U. clo Dick (owned by Mr. dated December 2nd, 1924, signed valued their loyal alliance in the Rolven) is certainly the best, but by Zinovieff in his capacity as Great War," were well aware at which equalled 18 per cent. on a total of \$2,861,124.38; and I your first question is:—"Are the Mr. Sayce:—I have no idea: is not thought to be able to carry President of the Ikki, which is the time of the Washington The Chairman :- if no share- too short a distance for him. The national dealing with the organ- long been in our minds. Mr Sayco :- Yes, that is my I will put the resolution to the done in 2.54.2/5 secs.; his gallop -- Reuter. ... Sinday morning reading;-The Chairman:-Naturally, as The resolution was carried 37; 1.13; 1.48.1/5; 2 22.1/5;

2 54.2/5 Flying Star is fancled good race between Prince Refor the Valley Stakes, other good | gent, Victoria, (a mare), Local, Mr. C. S. Gubbay and the Subs. being Jimmy Lad (Mrs.

OLD PONIES.

THE "TELEGRAPH".] TO

WAR DEBT SITUATION.

#### PARLIAMENT'S NEXT

Government upon the subject of occasion, therefore, for the King Inter-Allied Debts has had a by to visit Westminster, and there no means unfavourable reception will be no King's Speech. his complaint being diagnosed as able for the large number of despatched in response to an on-time of Parliament in the session, quiry from M. Clementel, it is to which continues until late in the dition was regarded with much fewer than 61 entries for this be assumed that the French Gov- summer, will be devoted to the ernment will now have under con- questions of finance, housing, sideration to drafting of a plan of unemployment, agriculture and payment which will accord with trade development. The conthe principles laid down in the sideration of supplementary esti-

discussed.

regard to Inter-Allied indebtedness is that Britain's Allies owe her approximately £1,800,000,000, amounts to £625,000,000. Britain owes America the sum of £900,-1000,000. Britain is repaying America, but her Allies are not repaying Britain. By her offer to relinquish all claim to monios above the total she has to pay Allies, and is taking to her own the entry of the United States. was published. It is common knowledge that Britain is thus involved in financial burdens which call for 000. taxation of her citizens far greater than that imposed in any other country in the world.

Budget Being Considered.

London, Feb. 9. mark the opening of a new ses- championship tournaments at sion, but is merely a continuation | Wimbledon.

London, Feb. 9. of the session which was begun The British Note to the French before Christmas. There is no

in France. Since the Note was It is probable that much of the mates for next year and other Prominence is given in the financial business will engage the newspapers to the possibility of attention of the House of Coman Anglo-French Conference in mons, to the exclusion of most

since M. Herriot and Mr. Bald- are still under examination. win have never met, and since Their consideration in Parliathere are subjects in addition to ment provides an opportunity for be introduced until after the Briefly stated, the position in Easter Recess.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL.

#### No Danger to Worshippers.

Loadon, Feb. 9. It is stated on behalf of the due to her from Europe over and Dean and Chapter of St. Paul's Cathedral that their expert ad-A merica, Britain is virtually visors have assured them that handing over all payments due to worshippers and eight-seers can her as German reparations to her continue to frequent the Cathedral in perfect safety. The numcharge the whole of her own war bors attending the services, have Pratt, Local riders are Mr. damages plus £800,000,000 of shown no signs of falling off foreign securities devoted by her since the first report regarding to the general war effort prior to the condition of the Cathedral

The amount now raised for the Preservation Fund exceeds £227,-

LAWN TENNIS.

American Players for

Wimbledon.

London, Feb. 9. It is understood that a lawn tennis team of leading American Parliament re-assembles to- players is coming to England this morrow. The meeting does not year and will play in the world

#### ZINOVIEFF'S LATEST.

FRENCH EXPOSURE. POSITION OF JAPAN.

FOSTERING ARMED REVOLT.

Paris, Fob. 9. M. Zinovieff has written to M. The bulk of the subscription Marcol Cachin directing the griffins have again been a French Communist Party to Lord of the Admiralty, in a

Option and King of Hearts, for it ponies well worth watching are Gymp, Duke of Friscy, and Spotted Sand, the last-na ned be-

#### SINGAPORE BASE.

COLONIAL SECRETARY EXPLAINS.

London, Feb. 9. W. C. Bridgeman, the First ly to cause uneasiness in Japan.

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#### RESIDENTS! MEETING. KOWLOON

HOSPITAL ARRANGEMENTS CRITICISED.

#### REPRESENTATION ON LEGISLATURE DESIRED.

Several very important questions affecting the Poninsula were discussed at the annual meeting of the Kowloon Residents' Association held in St. Andrew's Church Hall last evening. One point upon which the chairman (Mr. B. Wylie) laid great stress, was the inadequacy of the accommodation to be provided at the new Kowloon Hospital and the refusal to allow private medical practitioners to attend their own patients there. Representation of Kowloon on the Logislature of the Colony was also strongly urged.

Proposing the adoption of the examine and report on various

the chairman said: we have concerned ourselves with hospital." good result with many communal) matters. As the report reveals, wide variety of subjects has engaged your Committee's attention from the Government ship than we have at present, and marked that he "believed that pronow before you will have the wards of beds to be reserved for our ranks to join and, by their their own medical practitioners." membership and support, streng- The Government also allowed that

#### Kowloon Hespital.

Committee,

which I would like to say a few words. Those of you who have received the full report and correspondence will doubtless have noticed that in connection with the new Kowloon hospital—the completion of which has been promised for August next-we recently addressed a series of questions to the Government regarding the conditions which will apply to that institution when ready for occupation. We asked, among other things, whether patients would be allowed to have their own doctors, what would be the extent of the accommodation, and whether there would be a maternity ward. The answers to those questions were contained in a letter which we received less than a month ago, and I may say straight away that those answers are extremely disappointing. We are told that the hospital will be conducted on the same lines as other Government hospitals, that there will be accommodation for three first-class patients, eight second-class patients and 28 thirds-class patients, and that it is not considered necessary to provide a maternity ward at Kowloon because there is already one at Victoria Hospital.

Let me deal with these three most important points in the order in which I have named there Ever since this Association had had anything to do with the hospital question, it has been assumed that when such an institution

There was a good attendance of 1920, two local medical practimembers. Mr. B. Wylie, who tioners, Drs. Balean and Strahan, presided, was supported by the who were then members of your officials and members of the Com-, Committee, undertook, in response to a Government invitation, to

Report and Statement of accounts, sites in Kowloon suitable for a he chairman said: hospital, Their recommendation Gentlemen.—The report of the regarding a site was adopted, but, General Committee, together with in speaking on the disadvantages the Hon. Treasurer's Report and of one particular site, they exstatement of accounts, have been plained: "As far as European n your hands for some days and residents in Kowloon are conwill, with your permission, take cerned, a hospital five miles away them as read. I think we can offers little, if any, advantage congratulate ourselves on having over the hospitals in Hongkong, had a most successful year. We It is also a serious disadvantage have had an increase in member, to the patients to be so far away ship, our finances are in a sound from their own doctors, for Kowcondition, thanks to the increased loon residents are most anxious subscription which the annual that their own doctors shall conmeeting annotioned last year, and tinue treatment while they are in

#### Statements Undenied.

Now, gentlemen, we had no in-

tion, and it has been clearly de- that that statement was based on monstrated that the unefulness a wrong idea. In October of the of the Association tends to in same year, at a public meeting crease with the growth of Kow, held in the Kowloon British loon's population. There is still School, the then President of your room for a much larger member- Asociation, Mr. B. L. Frost, reit is to be hoped that the report vision would be made for six effect of inducing those outside private patients, who could have then the hands of your General statement to go undenied, whilst in the following month there was a definite public statement by the then Colonial Secretary that it was Before proposing the adoption the Government's intention to of the report and accounts, there allow patients to have their own are one or two matters upon private doctors. On November 18, 1920, during the debate in the Legislative Council on the Budget for 1921, the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock (now Sir Henry Pollock) expressed the hope that private practitioners would be given leave to treat their own patients in the new Kowloon Hospital. In the course of his reply to the debate on behalf of the Government, Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher omitted to make reference to this point, but at the close of his address he was reminded by Mr. Pollock of the omission. I will read you the exact words as I have taken them from the official Hansard report:

"The Hon. Mr. Pollock: One - point to which the Hon. Colonial Secretary did not refer was to the question of private practitioners being allowed to attend their own patients in the Kowloon Hospital.

That is the intention of the Government."

#### A Change of Front.

And so you see, gentlemen, that for over four years we have been pital is completed, Kowloon reance of treatment by their own will be conducted on the same lines as other Government would be completed patients hospitals, it means the exclusion would be able to have the attend of general medical practitioners. lance of their private medical That means that the Government practitioners. As far back June, has not kept faith with Kowloon



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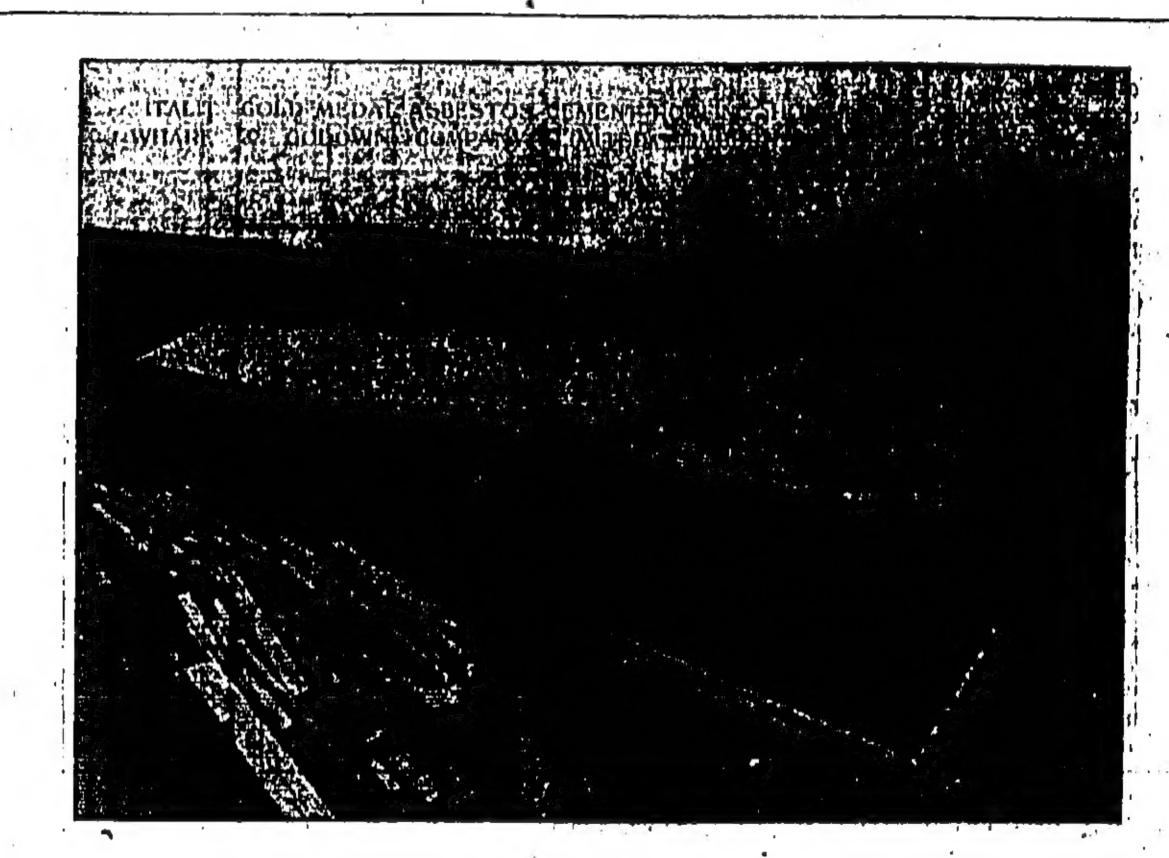
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people. In 1920 it pledged itself to The Hon, Colonial Secretary: to meet the wishes of Kowloon be no maternity ward in the hos- of least one great disability from residents in this regard and we pital is, I venture to claim, the which the women of Kowloon have would now like to know the cir- greatest disappointment of all, suffered far too long. I could say cumstances which have led to this | more especially for our womenfolk, much more on this matter, but I change of front. (Hear, hear).

concerned, we feel it is miserably a maternity ward in the new hos- Government officials-can fill in all led to believe that when this hos- inadequate regarding first and pital because there is one at Vic- the other considerations as to way second patients. We are fully toria Hospital on the Peak and be- a maternity ward in any new hossidents will be able to go to aware that it is only the first cause the ward would have to be a pital for Kowloon, should be an hospital and enjoy the continu- portion which is being completed separate building with a separate indispensable provision. by August next, and that exten- staff is to deny them their rights | Taking this subject of the Kowdoctors. When the Government sions will be made from time to to consideration as the mothers of loon Hospital as a whole, after tells us that the hospital time, but surely the Government our children. The birth of a many years of waiting and the exrealises that the provision of three | child at night whilst the mother | penditure of many thousands of first-class and eight second-class was crossing the harbour to hos- dollars, what are we promised? beds is very much less than is at pital in Hongkong has not been I venture to state that keen dispresent necessary if all the paying an unknown happening, and when appointment has been felt by every hospital patients from Kowloon are this Association pressed for a Kowloon resident, and I propose, to go to the new hospital.

hospital on this side of the har- (Continued on Page 2, 3 and 5.)

The information that there is to bour it had in mind the removal (Hear, hear). To tell the women think your imaginations-and, I So far as the accommodation is of Kowloon that they cannot have hope, the imaginations of our

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#### KOWLOON RESIDENTS' MEETING.

(Continued from Page 2)

little later in this meeting, to move a resolution to expressing the hope that auitable revision he made in its perative that more time and at proposals regarding the institu- tention should be given to the tion. (Applause).

Housing. residents. If the present Ordinance is allowed to lapse withform of rents protection, we shall undoubtedly witness a general allround increase of rentals. It has been stated in newspaper correspondence that there are thousands and even if that statement be true, I would like to ask whether the removal of the present Ordinance would fill them. The only effect, so far as one can see, of the rewould be to permit of a general increase in the rentals charged the Ordinance militated against plause). all know that the answer is an upon which I could touch, but plause).

terests of tenants in general. (Ap- the in-coming Committee, Kowloon Representation. There is, gentlemen, one other as presented, and should be glad if rise in rent the trade and industries subject upon which I should like someone will kindly second that of the Colony must fall off and its to say a few words. I refer to proposal. (Applause). he question of representation of The speech was received with Kowloon on the Legislature of applause and Mr. S. W. Bailey this Colony. This raises an issue rose to second the proposal. of extreme importance, and also, so doing he said: "I heartily." let it be admitted, one of consider- join in congratulation upon the able difficulty. I am sure that excellent results of the work of you all recognise, gentlemen, as the Association during the year ing and carried unanimously. The I do, that there is, besides the and upon our improved financial chairman then said "As I indicated European community, a very large position. To achieve these results in my remarks just now, I think Telephone Central 3217.

would naturally involve some de- its parture from precedent. Never- every resident not are insuperable obstacles, whereby both Chinese and European interests in this rapid-ly-developing peninsula would terests of all. have a far more direct voice than at present in the making of our ing municipal activities. I need hardly point out to you that one lowing words: "To consider, and with a view to obtaining districts on the Legislature."

deavoured to work in the closest hear).

loon needs. (Hear, hear). Peculiar Problems of the

Peninsula.

The remarkable development of of the maternity ward. the mainland which we have witbe forwarded to the Government nessed in recent years, and which lis still continuing, makes it impeculiar problems of the peninsula and we want to feel that the Goy- fittings and workmanship usually I would like to pass on to the ernment has access to well-informvery important question of hous- cd, first-hand advice in dealing have no redress but to pay for reing, in connection with which !! therewith. We gladly recognise has recently been announced that and fully appreciate the fact that discussion will shortly take in several matters of high im place in Council regarding the ad portance to the welfare of Kowvisability of renewing the Rents' loon, the Government has been Ordinance for a further term at pains to consult those who might heavy increase of already excesafter its expiry in June next. It be presumed to be capable of offer has been stated that the Govern- ing useful advice, but we think the ment has a perfectly open mind time is coming, if it has not alon the matter. For my own part ready arrived, when more adequate do not think that much argu- means should be available for the statement I include the manual ment is needed to prove that some representation and safeguarding form of rent control is still an of the interests of all communities imperative necessity in the on this side of the harbour. The general interests of the Colony's question of the precise method by which such an end might be reached need not be discussed in detail out the institution of some other at the moment. Without in any way throwing the Constitution of house, the landlords I understand ought to be possible, perhaps by tacit understanding, that when upon this money. I must point out His Excellency nominates Unof vacant flats to let in Kowloon. official Members of the Legislative Council, at least one of these workers of the Colony. By workers I should be a Kowloon man. That, mean all those who by hand or we consider, is not an unreason-brain, down to the humblest coolie, able proposal; and the benefit of contribute to the trade industries moval of the present Ordinance such an arrangement would, we and taxes of this Colony, and it is feel sure, be felt as much by the not right that Landlords who build Government as by the people con- house and such houses, at a profit for pre-1921 properties and could cerned. With that germ of an to themselves should now be allowed, not affect post-1921 properties, idea, we can, I think, gentlemen, after several years depreciation of for which extremely high rents leave this highly-important and the houses, to increase the rents of

the building of new houses? Wol There are several other matters emphatic "No." As an Association, think the report in your hands very adversely affect Chinese shopwe strongly urge that protection deals fully with the work of the keepers in the Kowloon Peninsula, to tenants is still a vital necessity, past year and that you can safely not only making it difficult for them and we look to the Government to leave current and future questions to obtain a living but also increascontinue to safeguard the in- to the care and consideration of ing the cost of the necessities of

tion of the report and accounts, to meet the cost to employees of a

Chinese population here on the your Committee have worked very mainland, whose interests deserve hard, dealing with traffic, lightjust as much consideration as do ing, communications, ferry serthose of the non-Chinese element, vice, children's playground and Moreover, direct and specific re-many other matters, all for the presentation of Kowloon on the improvement of Kowloon and for Legislative body of the Colony the betterment of its homes and residents. already theless, I cannot see that these a member should now join the It Association to take his or her part would be possible, without depart- in its work, and not stand idly by, ing from the present nominative witholding their support from system, to evolve some scheme the men who so freely give their time and best efforts in the in-

Hospital and Typhoons. "The accommodation, especially laws and more especially in guid- for first and second class patients, n the new Kowloon Hospital apof the objects of this Association this populous and quickly growing pears most inadequate, while in Kowloon a hospital without a as may from time to time appear Without such a ward, maternity cases, with all their suffering adequate representation of these and risk of the lives of our wives and children must be exposed to So far, gentlemen, no such repre- the discomforts and serious loss in sentations have been made to the time of a journey to Hongkong. Government. We have, and I occupying at least one hour, inthink quite rightly,-deemed it stend of to our own hospital in wise to first of all place this Asso- 15 minutes, and if, as during ciation on a sound and useful typhoon weather, the ferry serbasis. It is now precisely five vice to Hongkong be stopped, and years since the K.R.A. was in possibly no doctor readily obaugurated, and I think we can, tainable in Kowloon, we may without being in any way guilty of readily imagine the possible conthe sin of vanity, look back on a sequences. The hospital, in my career of considerable utility opinion, is not complete nor adeand point with some measure of quate to the needs of Kowloon pride to a record of beneficial without a maternity ward, and achievementon behalf of the whole this, too, of the very best and most community. We have always en efficient type and staff. (Hear,

cc-operation with the Government, The Government have always and from the frequent expressions been ready to meet our just and of thanks received from high quar- reasonable requirements and will, ters we can, I think, claim that I am sure, meet us sympathetically our objective has been achieved, in this matter when we can put The Kowloon Residents' Associa- forward the necessary facts and tion has fully justified its creation. figures for a business like grasp Its activities have been directed and view of the matter. We must by men with a collective and in- remember that in the present timate first-hand knowledge of the chaotic state of China and the affairs of the peninsula-men who rapid expansion of the Colony, our know Kowloon's needs because Government has its hands full they come in dally contact with its and cannot be expected to so fully life. We fully appreciate the sym- realise our needs, as we ourselves pathetic manner in which the Un- do. The number of miternity and official Members of Council have, other hospital seases in Kowloon In the past, championed our cause, for the past year may be obtained,

but we do not think that there can and with a reasonable allowance be any adequate substitute for added for future increase of popu-Kowloon men to represent Kow- lation, we could put forward a lease which could be readily dealt with by Government in a business likely way. I must say I feel very strongly indeed on this question

> Tenants Without Redress. I also endorse, and in the strongest manner, the statement just made regarding housing and rents control. Houses are almost unobtainable and their cheap and inferior. Tenants pairs and renewals themselves as, being unable to obtain other houses, they are helpless under their landlords. The removal of rents consive rents, and with the result that men could not live here and keep their wives and families on workers, whose houses are in many cases no credit to the Colony and their rents already excessive.

(Hear, hear). Some years ago the Government lent mone, andlords at 5 per cent, to buy laid and build heing allowed to charge 8 p.c. that the money so lent to the landlords was money made by the are already being demanded. Has growingly-urgent matter. (Ap-) the people from whom the money was derived. (Hear, hear). Moreover, "repeal of the Rents Ordinanco would! life to the people every race. I now beg to propose the adop- If wages and salaries be increased revenue decline as the Colony can no longer hold its own in competition with other ports. That is the position. I beg to second the adoption of the report and accounts.

The motion was put to the meet-(Continued on Page 5)

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Notice is hereby given that the of Hongkong Trotoways Limited will be held at the Offices of Mesers. Jardine, Matheson and Company, Limited, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, 1925, at 12 o'clock noon, to transact the Road.

ordinary business of the Company. And Notice is hereby also given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Hongkong Tramways, Limited will be held at the offices of Mesers, Jardine, Matheson and Company, Limited, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of February, 1925, at 12.15 o'click in the afternoon, when the Subjoined Resolutions will be proposed as Ordinary Resolutions:--

(1) That the authorised Capital of the Company (which is n:w \$1,625,000 consisting of 325,000 shares of the nominal value of \$5 each of which the whole have been issued) be increased to \$3,250,000 by the creation of 325,000 additional shares of the numinal value of \$5 each ranking for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the shares constituting the Company's

present issued Capital.

(2) That it is desirable to capitalise the sum of \$1,625,000 being part of the undivided profits of the Company standing to the credit of Company's Reserve Fund and accordingly for the purpose of effecting such capitalisation in pursuance of Article 128 of the Company's Articles of Association a bonus of \$5 per share on the issued shares of the Company be and the same is hereby declared and that the Directors be and they are hereby authorised to distribution amongst the persons who are registered as ho'ders of the present issue of shares of the Company on the 27th day of

persons as aforesaid and that such new ordinary shares rank for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the shares al-

the Company credited as

fully paid up in respect of

every one existing share of

the Company held by such

ready issued. Dated the 10th day of February,

> W. F. SIMMONS. Secretary.

Hongkong.

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Directors. JOHN ARNOLD. Secretary. Hongkong, 14th January, 1925, able is \$21.25.

NOTICE.

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Director 4. KAN TONG PO. Chief danager. Hongkong, January 31, 1925.

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The area is 4002 sq. ft. or there-

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## 10th. Feb. 1925.

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### "Telegraph" Motor Car Competition.

(Continued from Page 3.)

the question of the conditions to govern the new Kowloon Hospital is so important that this publicly convened meeting of Kowloon residents should send a strong expression of opinion to the Covernment I, therefore, beg to move:

"That the residents of Kowloon, assembled at the annual meeting of the Kowloon Residents' Association. wish to record their sense of keen disappointment at the Government's proposals regarding the regulations to govern the operation of the new amended in any way. Kowloon Hospital and desire to press for the following conditions:

(1) That general medical practitioners be allowed to attend patients at the hospital in accordance with the Government's earlier promise. (2) That more accommodation be

provided for first and second class rect that was 15 p.c. (Laughter). patients.

ing of the institution; and

the in-coming General Committee to forward these resolutions to the Government to press for their fulfilment"

the motion was carried.

Mr. Balley Elected President. The Chairman then rose to propose the election of Mr. W. S. Bailey as president of the association for the ensuing year. He said Mr. Bailey had been a member of the committee some time and last year was their vice-president. He had taken a great interest in the association and in all that appertained to Kowloon. Mr. Stokes seconded and Mr. Bailey was

elected amid applause.

elected for the coming year. Martin; hon, secretary, Mr. D. A. pean houses with an Ordinance Father Spada, Rev. G. R. Lindsay, and nothing more. Rev. J. H. Johnstone, Dr. J. C. Macgowan, Messrs. B. Wylie, J. M. Alves, S. L. Hidden, A. V. Tofte, Laurenson, T. E. Arnott, A. Morley, 1 and W. Hyde.

Hard Working Officials. The chaiman paid tribute to the subscriptions. Most associations services of Mr. Martin as treasurer [had in their constitution a rule and to Mr. Morley as secretary for for dealing with members whose the great work they had done dur- annual subscriptions fell into aring the past year. In moving rears for one, two or three years nominations for the committee he as the ease might be. Their prementioned that many old members sent rules had no such provision. were proceeding home and men- They could understand a man tioned in particular Mr. R. Pack- dropping into arrears for one year ham. He said he would be much but when it came to the second it missed. It was in his house that meant that a man had lost the meetings leading up to the terest. He therefore proposed the inauguration of the association adoption of rule 14a, "If the subwere held. He had served on their scription of any member be uncommittee. He was not heard paid for two consecutive years often when there but when he did then the general committee shall speak it was to the point. They have power to delete his name were sorry to lose him. (Hear, from the list of members," hear).

that he had received great help (ter).

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from the committee during the year. It was a very large committee, there being seventeen on it, but it had worked well and there had been a high average attendance, nearly fifteen he understood. (Applause).

Rents Question Discussed. On the meeting being thrown open to general business Mr. R. J Vint remarked that in connection with the Rents Ordinance it seemed to him that the landlords' chief objections to it was that tenants could sublet flats at a very much increased rental. That was their sore point. He wondered whether , the suggestion could be made that the point be looked into when the Rents Ordinance was revised

Mr. W. J. Stokes said he had. seen in the Hongkong Telegaph that Mr. Humphrey's had been say, twice a finalist and once before ing that he was not getting seven p.c. on his money but last year he top half of the draw at his mercy, paid a dividend of 15 p.c., paying but it is always difficult to forceast \$1.50 on each \$10 share. If his what will actually happen in these (the speaker's) arithmetic was cor- 18-hole matches.

(3) That the provision of accompremises that had recently been Comperts, F. N. Young and G. B. modation and staff for the admis- creeted. He had seen them and Hett are all in the lower balf. sion of maternity cases is considered was astounded that the authorities and it is not easy to make a imperative and that steps be taken had permitted such places to be selection from these. to provide for the admission of such put up. In one room the tenant cases immediately upon the open- did have God's light but in the other he hadn't even God's fresh (4) That it be an instruction to air. The Government's attention should be drawn to such things.

Ordinance For Chinese Houses. several like that. The layouts quarters yesterday afternoon. were not suitable for European Despite the small attendance, Mr. R. Packham seconded and people. They were more suited to the first sale aroused keen com-Chinese people. Very few were laid potition between two parties. The out in any way approaching de- property has an area of 1860 square cent manner on the Kowloon side feet and is situated at Ka Pui of the harbour. He wondered it Shek, Kowloon. The upset price there was any way of getting was \$2,700. It steadily rose by

ernment could indicate to to Mr. Cheng Iu-tong. builders the style of building that was required.

thought he could explain matters for Mr. Vint. The present Public (30,000 square feet); purchaser. Health and Buildings Ordinance Mrs. Bang Haw; price \$600. was designed in 1903 to meet the The following officers were then question of Chinese houses and nothing more, and they therefore Vice-president, Mr. L. E. Lam- found architects to-day doing mort; hon, treasurer, Mr. A. J. J. their best to try to design Euro-Goodwin; General Committee, Rev. which applied to Chinese houses

Non-Paying Members.

The Association treasurer, Mr. W. Forsyth, J. E. Anderson, T. T. Martin, before the conclusion of the meeting, rose to propose an C. F. Mindham, A. Ogilvie, L. Jack alteration of the rules of the As-Isociation. As they stood the rules did not provide for members who fell into arrears with their Mr. Stokes said he seconded

The chairman also mentioned that with great pleasure. (Laugh-

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THE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

The qualifying round of the Junior Championship was played at Fanling on Sunday. There were 45 entries, but only 84 cards were returned. On the whole the were poor. One of the lowest was disqualified owing to playing two consecutive strokes and holing out with the wrong

return, a card of 88; J. W. Franks Messra, Linstead & Davis, Alexanwas next with 90, Colonel E. D. Matthews 91, A. Morrison 92, day, February 14, 1925,-Price \$10. Major Milner Jones and Capt. -per day or \$30 .- for the Meet-Joli 93, F. N. Young 94, There ing. were culy sixteen ecores under 100.

It looks as if J. W. Franks, a winner of this event, line the

Colonels Dobbin and Matthews. Mr. Puryes mentioned certain Major Milner Jones, R. H. 1.

#### CROWN LAND SALES.

FOUR LOTS SOLD.

Four lots of Crown land were sold Mr. Vint added that he had seen at an auction at the Volunteer Head-

better type of build-small bids to \$4,555, at which Enclosure. ing erected. Surely the Gov- price the land was knocked down

Three other lots at Taun Wan were next sold, in each case at Mr. A. Ogilvie remarked that he the upset price. The results were: Tsun Wan Inland Lot No. 8 Tsun Wan Inland Lot No. 9

(37,300 square feet); purchaser, Mr. Edger L. Yung: price \$746. Tsun Wan Inland Lot No. 10 (26,000 square feet); purchaser, Mr. Ng Si-chi; price \$582.

#### RUSSO-JAPANESE TREATY.

RATIFICATION EXPECTED SHORTLY.

Peking, February 9 .- The tor at the Gate. courier who conveyed the signed copy of the Russo-Japanese Treaty to Tokyo returned yesterday. The Japanese Cabinet discussed the Treaty, which is expected to be ratified in a few days .- Reuter.

#### DR. SUN'S CONDITION.

TEMPERATURE NORMAL. Peking, February 9,-Dr. Sun

in- Yat-sen's temperature this morning was normal, and his pulse 100.

> The motion was carried un- dra Bulldings. animously,

In conclusion Mr. B. Wylie tendred a vote of thanks to the vestry of St. Andrew's for the use of the hall for the meeting.

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> C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

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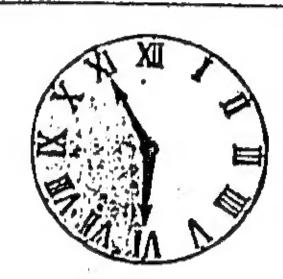
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#### KOWLOON HOSPITAL.

its hospital, and it has to wait of our mercantile marine, the longer still. Even when the almost national industry institution is ready for occupation, we fear that the expecta- operations against the Unittions of the public will not be ed States coast, lend themroalised, judging from the state- solves to the enterprise. But ments made at last hight's meet- to the observer about this ing of the Kowloon Residents' smuggling business. To begin Civil Governor, prohibiting the afterwards held on the Hongkong Association. It is true, as was with it is illegal trafficking in an pointed out, that the premises operating against the laws of a will be capable of extension-and friendly nation. What we would well they need to be; for after draw particular attention to at long and weary waiting there tion that this constant war against will only be accommodation, to "bootleggers" holds with referstart, for three first-class, eight ence to the big discussion that is second-class and twenty-eight going on about opium and other third-class patients. This can huge expense, and multifarious only be described as utterly machinery of organisation, which 13, The Peak; Mr. John Macinadequate, especially from the order to wage a war against standpoint of the European com- illegal traffic, and the small sucmunity. Another point which coss obtained on the whole, it has caused the greatest possible of the effort which will be required Races, the second volume of the leather shoes, which were found the former Reparations Commisdisappointment is the announce- for proper control of drugs might Hongkong Racing Record makes in the possession of a coolie in sioner, Lord Bradbury, to be an ment by the Government that well be stupendous, for it would records compiled by "Arone" of Sunday. When arrested the cooling ex-officio director of the Anglothere will be no maternity ward in the best the world over. in the hospital. Why that decision has been reached we do not know, and it is the more mystify- speaking residents of this Colony ing when we recall that one of have not yet either seen or heard the conditions laid down in the Sir Harry Lauder, and to them expectant mothers to make the enthusiastic purchasers of tickets Quartette gave a most enjoyable to the first defendant. 1.45 trip across the harbour to will prove to be those who have concert. Regret was expressed 2.10 has its own institution where national figure, and no matter Dorothy Dawson Campbell, but application at the Water Police Renter. 2.25 handled.

portinently pointed out at last and that assures his audience, night's meeting, the Government enjoyable evening in his company. stealf professed that to be its intention during the Budget debate four years ego. Now the K. R. A. is calmly informed that no such conditions will apply. Such a complete volte face needs ammunition by Revenue Officers the Attorney General. such a complete volle face needs ammunition by november Chiefs the Attorney General.

Explaining. More than that, the revised decision should be revised and the original intention put into effect. That is what Kowloon residents expect, and Kowloo they will not be satisfied until remanded.

their wishes are met. From whatever standpoint we look at this Kowloon Hospital question, we cannot free ourselves from the idea that the community across the harbour is being rather shabbily treated. to the Kowloon Residents' Squadron. Association, which has worked so hard and so consistently to scoure the hospital, and justice to whose efforts there should be shown by the author- their licences. ities a willingness to concode the reasonable demands now made.

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An Analogy.

by American prohibition agents large audience present. rocalls the continuance of the smuggling activities of ships that it is worth while running - Advt. the risk of detection and seizure of the vessel, besides the fines crow. The mon manning these ships must also be adequately compensated, and well paid, for them to run the risk injury and imprisonment. It is doubtful whother there is anything remarkable about the Soviet Russians. statistics which were recently published and showed that the of British ownership. The size whicky-distilling, and the convenience of our situation for there is nothing attractive acknowledged evil, and then it is

occurs to one that the magnitude

provisional agreement with the particular interest. No one, how- Friday, at 50.30 p.m., in St. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Maryknoll Mission was that a over, requires to be told anything Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, Magistracy this morning, with certain number of the Sisters about Sir Harry—or just Harry to Bishop and Mrs. Duppuy, the suspected to have been stolen or resigned from the Relation to Be and the Belak-ter in were to be qualified in midwifery. his admirers -- either with refer- Regiment will, If there was to be no maternity ence to his skill as an entertainer, permission of ward in the hospital, why was his private life, or his remarkable Montague Bates, play in the such a stipulation made? In any career. All that has appeared in grounds during the evening. 75 event, the necessity of such a however, a special fame attached To a large and appreciative ward is quite obvious. It is to his name which will draw full audience at the Roof Garden of "houses" here, and we venture to the Hongkong Hotel last night, 40 asking far too much to require predict that not among the least members of the World Renowned

enter hospital once Kowloon For his has become almost a tion, of the talented planist, Miss such cases could easily be where one has seen him before it Mr. Percival Garratt deputised Station, Tsimshatsui. brings back old memories. Again, for her. without desiring to detract from Finally, there is the matter of Sir Harry's acknowledged genius private medical practitioners glamour attached to his name (one British and six Chinese), of being allowed to attend their which makes it as much a fashion which four were fatal; nine fatal own patients in the new as anything to be able to say one cases of cerebre-spinal fever (all as carriers for illicit opium was first time has sent a direct wire-

down, whether one is inclined to small-pox (Chinese and two non- by Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Central land.-Reuter. receipt of a letter from the be critical, as some are, of the fatal occurrences of small-pox Magistracy to-day, when he had Government on the subject, it "fuss" which his appearance is (one Russian and one Chinese). before him a small boy charged was all along taken for granted to heleng to the hand of his force British and a Chinad with being in possession of a to belong to the band of his (one British and one Chinese) quantity of the drug. that such an arrangement would devoted admirers, there remains were notified yesterday. be possible. Indeed, as was the fact that he can entertain-

#### ARMS HAUL,

SEIZURE FROM A SHIP.

#### DAY BY DAY.

COURAGE LEADS TO HEAVEN; FEAR, TO DEATH. - Seneca.

His Excollency Major General Luard, the new G. C. C., yester- at St. John's Cathedral this The Klastsi Railway employees day paid his official visit to the afternoon. In the one case, Miss struck at midnight, and coinmust be especially disappointing Commander-in-Chief of the China

> Two masters of passenger boats were each fined \$10 by the Marine Magistrate this morning ophone Co., eldest son of Mr. The management refuses to quit for carrying five passengers excess of the number allowed by

The Hongkong A. D. C. gave another fine production of "Saint Joan" at the Theatre Royal last night, the proceeds being in aid The latest news about a "rum- of the St. Paul's Cathedral running" vessel being captured Restoration Fund. There was a

which are specially chartered be the subject of this week's quito a small fortune every time Society, 16 Queen's Road Central, appears that the profits are such 5.45 p.m. The public are invited.

A Poking message to which can be imposed on the Daily Bulletin in regard to the to match. Mr. F. W. Stapleton capture of Sheklung says that according to foreign and official was "bost man." tolograms the Canton forces were assisted by an armoured kongkong Electric Company, train consisting of a locomotive gave away the bride in the other and two cars entirely manned by

In the Captain's Cup Competimajority of the vessels engaged tion, played at Fanling from 7th Kowloon has waited long for in rum-running are apparently to 9th inst., Col. R. A. Dobbin qualified with a score of 77 and won the medal. Col. Matthews won the optional pool with total of 79, whilst other scores wore:-Mr. J. B. Ross, 80; and Mr. J. W. Franks, 80.

> According to the Canton been issued, on the order of the and at the reception which was Kwangtung province, in direct transactions."

weddings are announced:-Mr. black picture hat. David Grommond Gow, chief drugs. When one observes the clerk of the Kowloon Dock Company, to Miss Mary Roid Easson, liquor prohibition requires in Kenzie, broker, No. 5, South View Avenue, to Miss Hannah Wong, No. 7, Suymour Terrace.

up of the book has been made second coolie was found and he The majority of English whereby the form of each pony admitted having given the shoes can be seen at a glance.

Liout.-Col.

heard him on the stage before. at the absence, through indisposi-

Last week's health return

#### NEW SOLICITOR.

of Mr. Frederick William White- Worship this morning was that Seizure of six rifles, 27 revolvers in the Colony by the Chief Justice children to carry illicit opium and several thousand rounds of this morning, on the motion of would be recommended to the

#### DOUBLE WEDDING.

AT THE CATHEDRAL TO-DAY-

A double wedding took place Daisy Annie Kearsey, eldest eldent with the strike a mordaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fran- chants' boycett, called by the ois Kearsey, of Birmingham, was Chamber of Commerce with a married to Mr. Arthur Leslie view to forcing out the present Torry, of the Hongkong Tol-management, went into effect. in A. A. Terry and of the late Mrs. in the face of a most try-Torry of Birmingham; whilst in ing situation. The controversy the other Miss Dorothy Offord, rose from the discharge of Shanoldest daughter of Mr. W. Offord, tung employees of the Railway. of Great. Yarmouth, became -Reuter. the bride of Mr. Leonard Wynne Harrison, of the China Naviga-

tion Company.

Miss Kearsoy, who was given away by Mr. 8. Deacon, was attired in a dress of ivory georgette over silk, with silver "The Value of Theosophy" will embroidered veil and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet for the business and which public lecture of the Hongkong of white reses, and was attended in oppressive weather, on a fast bring the parties concerned Lodge of The Theosophical by two bridesmaids, the Misses wicket, before a small attendance. Irone and Daphne Leach, who a successful landing is made. It on Wednesday February 11th, at wore dresses of pale blue silk and not with not caps, and carried Nupon taking 5 for 51, baskets of pale pink reses. The South Africa replied with 16 Matron of Honour was Mrs. S. for no wickets. Deacon, who were a beige coat- The match will be continued

Mr. W. Orchard, of the Hongwedding. Miss Offord was drossed in ivory satin with georgotte panels and feather trimming, and ombroidered veil edged with pearls and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses, and was attended by Misses Betty and Audry Stool as bridesmaids.

The latter were dresses made of use of the rotors impossible. primroso taffeta silk, with caps to match. They carried baskets badly, the revolving movement of of violets. Mr. Walter Androws carried out the duties of

There was a large number of Gazette, draft regulations have friends present at the ceremony of foreign currency in Hotel Roof Garden. The couples later left for Repulse Bay, where stating that "the national the honeymoons are being spent. currency is the only legal tender Mrs. Terry's going-away dress beat Portsmouth by one goal to was a cream coloured costume nil, at Highbury.-Reuter. with black hat, while Mrs. Harr-The following forthcoming ison wore a grey costume, with

#### WHOSE SHOES?

A KOWLOON "FIND."

The Kowloon Police are endeavouring to locate the owner of Just in time for the coming a practically new pair of patent to the arrested man to pawn. He had bought them in the street for In connection with the \$2.30, he said. When both were discharged; his Worship remark- he was implicated in the Barmat ing he could not convict on the bank scandals,-Reuter. evidence but ordered that the shoes be kept by the police for 14 days and returned to the owner BURMAH DROPS OUT. should anyons claim thom. Should they be unclaimed after that period, they are to be given

> known that the shoes can be that Burmah will not participate retrieved by the owner, on in the 1925 Wembley Exhibition,

### OPIUM TRAFFIC.

DEPORTATION WARNING.

The employment of small boys A Victorian amateur for the Until the recent has attended his show. But deep Chinese), two fatal cases of the subject of a warning issued less telephone message to Eng-

Acting on a statement made by the youngster, Revenue Officers had kept a close watch on a cortain house only to discover that the major offender had taken warning and made his escape.

A new solicitor, in the person The warning given by his Governor for deportation, though

#### RAILWAY TROUBLE

STRIKE AND BOYCOTT AT TSINGTAO.

Tsingtao, Feb. 9.

#### S. AFRICAN CRICKET.

A DRAWN OUT MATCH.

Johannesburg, Fob. 9. The Test match was continued Rain interrupted the play.

Mr. Jool's cleven scored 164,

#### PUT TO THE TEST.

"ROTOR" SHIP BADLY BUFFETED.

Berlin, Feb. 9. The Flettner "Rotor" ship voyaging from Danzig to Leith, has arrived at Kiel twenty-four hours late, owing to stormy weather, which occasionally rendered the

The ship pitched and rolled P. the two large towers causing a sovere shaking .- Reuter.

#### HOME "SOCCER."

LATEST MATCHES.

London, Feb. 9. In a Cup replay, Blackburn

London, Feb. 9. In the second division of the English League, Fulham beat Hull by 4 goals to nil.—Reuter.

#### LORD BRADBURY'S NEW POST.

London, Feb. 9. The Treasury has appointed

#### GERMAN SCANDAL.

ANOTHER RESIGNATION.

Berlin, Feb. 9. Herr Hoefle, who was Minister

WON'T BE AT WEMBLEY.

Rangoon, Feb. 9. His Worship desired it made The Government has decided

#### RADIO PHONING.

HALF-WAY ACROSS WORLD.

Molbourne, Feb. 9.

#### AMBITION.

I cannot live from day to day Without my thought concerned As to why I am living here, And whether I have earned The many blussings I enjoy. The liberty of will; And, what is greater, solfcontrol

To act or to be still. I feel there is behind my thought

A spirit infinito, Which to my faculties in trust It is this power I wish to

WALLACE D. BAWKER

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

(To the Editor, "Hongkong Telegraph.") .

#### A Correction.

myself at last night's annual person of Miss Kitty Barlow, an not. The comedian, it is said, moeting of the Kowloon Re- English artiste who has made a sllowed it to be understood that sidents' Association? In paying considerable name for horself. | many of them were not based Packham on his retiral. I said personations, songs at the plane, appeared to give pleasure in the it was in his home that the meet. character songs and jazz songs, telling of them, he had no objecings were held which led to the She has appeared at the London tion to their circulation, particinauguration of the Association. Coliscum, the Criterion Theatre, ularly as they helped him in the In saying so I made a mistake. leading provincial theatres, good work of publicity. Some of It was in Mr B. L. Frost's house several London clubs, Australian them deserve to be true, if they that these meetings took place initiative of the latter gentleman ed as a former member of the in Calcutta recently, a persistent tnat the K.R.A. came into being. Yours etc.

B. WYLIE. Kowloon, Feb. 10th. 1925.

### SHIPPING NEWS.

LOCAL WATERFRONT ITEMS.

The passenger steamer Haitan, Captain F. V. Bonz, arrived youtorday from Saigon, and reports mostly moderate monsoon.

The steamer Lerke. Captain G. Schangen (a port in the narrow signing widow took advantage of and intricate Pulo Laut Strait, your husband's interest in his on the S.E. corner of Borneo), She had exceedingly strong monsoon in the Sulu sea, but reports

The coaster Henrik, Captain H. Brandt, arrived yesterday Constance Talmadge is a comefrom Bangkok and had strong monsoon from Pulo Ohir to Cape light touch in spontaneous fun-Padaran, but reports the weather as moderating afterwards.

Another coaster, the Botnia. Captain A. Haaland, arrived Koelung, from yesterday misty weather coming down here. The Hwa Ching, Captain Koolung with coals yesterday.

As far as we can judge from the reports of the ships entering picture is new. the harbour, the monscon is quite moderate north of this port, and in this vicinity, but is still blowing strong south of popular comody-drama of the the U.S.R.C. Padaran and in the Sulu Sea, stage, whose appeal was testified Java Sea and Carimata Strait. This is quite normal for this been transferred to the screen and time of year, and we may now soon expect the monsoon to be Queen's Theatre. "broaking up."

#### FALSE ALARM.

METER-READER MISTAKEN FOR ROBBER.

the receipt of a report that an armed robbery had occurred a close to the business district. Details were assigned for duty at was thought that the robbers Horsemen of the Apocalypse' might repair in an effort to get across the harbour with their booty, whilst pedestrians and passengers in tramears were searched. The report came through is the pick of their best numbers. also that a man was arrested in actual possession of a revolver and was confined in the house where the robbery took place.

All this commotion served no useful purpose, however, for the report turned out to be entirely false. The fact of the matter was that a meter inspector, or reader, paying a professional . call at the house in question, was mistaken for an armed robber because the pair of pliers sticking out of his pocket boro, to a small boy who opened the door, a and, with a promptitude which of the fabulous and extravagant said that there was no privilege; would have been commendable in other circumstances, he ran down the staircase and alarmed the whole neighbourhood with orios of "Save lifel" and "Robberel" The "robber" was in no hurry to make his escape, but calmly waited in the house until throughout. the arrival of the police, when he ostablished his real identity.

#### TELEPHONE QUESTION.

SETTLEMENT EXPECTED.

that the negotiations in regard to Shanghai stocks from their Ransford (62). Victoria followed on the telephone question were pro- Shanghai office:gressing and that a full and final settlement could be expected shortly.

The negotations have reached a stage at which the Government is investigating the plant and buyors. equipment, and there is every expectation that the matter will buyors. soon be disposed of, although at Orientals. Tis. 3%, buyers. present the nature of the scheme | Shanghai Cotton, -Tir. contemplated cannot be divulged, buyers.

#### LADY ENTERTAINER.

AT HONGKONG HOTEL.

Patrons of the Hongkong Hotel Sir,—May I be permitted to will have the privilege of hearing to-morrow, whether the stories correct a statement made by a clover lady entertainer, in the told of his canniness were true or

> theatres and in all parts of the Far are not. Here is the latest. East. She will also be remer ther. | When the famous comedian was Bandman Company.

#### CINEMA NOTES.

SAUCE FOR THE GOOSE.

If you were a protty and neglected young wife, what would you do if a middle-aged and de-This is the problem that forms the Club in their second match of the basis for a delightful comedy and more the closer she came to Lowis J. Selznick present Con- 11th instant :- P. W. F. Mills, A. shown at the World Theatre. dienne who knows the value of a Woodward, G. J. Jones, E. L. Sim, making, and she more than fulfils many admirers by her delightful the season and last week's Club PHONE 4567. in this play. The story is from Formosa, and had monsoon but the successful play by Geraldine B. H. Johnson, also arrived from The theme of the neglected wife and the "other woman" is old, are:but the handling of it in this

"TURN TO THE RIGHT." "Turn to the Right," the most to by millions of theatre-goers, has will be seen to-day at the

As a stage play, "Turn to the Right" made a fortune for John Golden who presented it and for the authors. Winchell Smith and plaints, has followed on the John E. Hazzard. Keeping up football craze in Statue Square. this financial record a halt This refers to the would-be interest in the screen right trick cyclists, who invite no little was sold to Metro Pictures risk not only to themselves but The police machinery was set Corporation for a quarter of a also to pedestrians by taking on in motion yesterday afternoon on million dollars, top price for any friends for riding pillion or across motion picture production. The the bars of ordinary push-bikes. screen version is presented by No. 73 Queen's Road Central, John Golden and Marcus Loew and is a Rex Ingram production, Square the other day at an hour directed by the creator, for the when this diversion was in the wharves and piers, where it silent drama, of "The Four and "The Conquering Power.'

> giving their last performances at fore the Magistrate. this theatre and their programme

#### " NERO."

In a review of "Nero," the mammoth picture to be screened at the Coronet to-night, a Manila paper says that more than 6,000 in three days to see this film.

screen production. This wonder- tried by their tribunal. ful screen production shows Nero. himself, in all of his devilsh orgies for the defendant with costs. in his golden palace. In fact the film is true to Roman history

#### SHARE MARKET.

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Someone asked Sir Harry ton and dinner dances from Lauder, whose Hongkong season Wednesday to Saturday inclusive commences at the Theatre Royal Miss Barlow excels in child im- upon fact, but that, as they

HARRY LAUDER.

HIS "CANNINESS."

The tea dances take place at for his signature. | Receiving no the Roof Garden, whilst Miss reply he waited for a few days, Barlow will also appear at the and then wrote again. His dinner dances in the Grill Room. second letter was also ignored. Finally he sent a third lotter, enclosing a sheet of paper and a two anna stamp. By return of post he received a post card on which was typodatho following-"Paper and stamp received. Please send envelope.

#### HOCKEY.

THE SIM SHIELD.

The following will represent the Sim Shield triangular tournain "Sauce for the Goose," the ment against the Navy at 5 p.m. stance Talmadge, which will be A. Dand, A. S. Hett, Rov. E. W. L. Martin, E. J. R. Mitchell (capt.), L. P. Ralph, G. R. More, W. J. and B. D. Evans.

The matches for this trophy are the hopes and expectations of her the most important contests of interpretation of Kitty Constable v. Navy match was one of the finest games ever played here. The result was 2 goals all, though Bonner and Hutcheson Boyd, the Navy scored both their goals first and led by 2-1 at half time. The list of coming fixture matches

> Navy v. Club .- 11th Fobruary. Navy v. Army.—13th Army v. Club.—25th Army v. Club. - 4th March. All matches are being played at

#### TRICK CYCLISTS.

A LOCAL NUISANCE.

Another nuisance, which has formed the subject of many com-

On receipt of many complaints, the police went down to the progress and rounded up three of the offenders, who are mostly Chinese youths. They were fined The Manila Vaudoville Co. are on appearance subsequently be-

#### LIBEL CASE.

ACTION FAILS.

When the case was continued: persons visited the Riveli Theatre in the Summary Court this morn- financial capacities. ling, in which Ip Shou-man To say the least everyone was claimed \$1,000 damages for libel, highly pleased with the gorgeous Mr. D'Almada called the secretspectacle, and remark after re- ary of the Rice Guild, who said mark was heard in the lobby of that it was a duty of the member the theatre praising the picture to to inform the Association when a the skies. The wildest imagina- creditor defaulted. Mr. D'Almada tion can scarcely conjure up all claimed privilege. Mr. Brower excesses of the reign of the tyrant plaintiff was not a member of Nero, which are so realistic in the Guild and he could not be

His Lordship gave judgment

#### M.C.C. TEAM DO WELL.

VICTORIA COLLAPSES.

molbourne, February 9. A thunderstorm interrupted the resumed match between Victoria and the M. C. C. just before lunch Mossrs. Ellis and Co. have to-day. Victoria's first innings drawn. Kilger captured 5 wickets for 3 runs, for which he was loudly Reuter's American Service. Shanghai Docks. -Tls. 109, cheered, and Hearne took the other wicket for 9 runs.

Bryan captained in the absence of Douglas An X-ray examination of Douglas' arm showed that the bones had not been injured.-Router.



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BRITAIN'S GENEROUS OFFER.

London, February 9. "A generous offer, which brings the repayment of France's debt to England within the range of practical politics," is the unanimous verdict of the newspapers on the British debt Note to France. The

in which it was sent. The Westminster Gazette thinks Mr. Churchill has done weil in insisting that Britain's claims cannot be made entirely dependent

hope is expressed that France will meet the offer in the same spirit

upon the success or failure of the Dawes scheme. The Telegraph commends Mr. Churchill in refraining from dealing in figures and adds that enough has already been said in respect of the inadequacy of the proposal, unofficially mooted in France, whereunder a Britisher who was paying sevenpence in the pound for France's unrepaid debt to England, would get relief to the extent of roughly a halfpenny in the pound, beginning ten years hence.

The Daily Express considers the offer the culmination of a series of surrenders .- Reuter.

Paris, February 9.

It is semi-officially stated that the Government will devote the whole of its attention to the British Note with a strong desire to find a basis for friendly discussion. Consideration of the Note will probably require some time.

Before pursuing the discussion on the basis of the British suggestions, it must first be considered what figure might be taken into account with respect to the two methods of repayment. It is suggested, for example, that 200,000,000 francs, or deliveries in kind, under the Dawes scheme, had been promised to representatives of the devastated regions. This must be borne in mind when the question arises of estimating the amounts which might be eventually appropriated to the repayment to Britain from the yield of the Dawes plan; also, the negotiators must draw up a fair balance sheet, showing the wealth of France compared with the pre-War period and compared with other nations, and the financial efforts of France in relation to the efforts of other countries, and her

Possibly, after all the necessary data has been collated, the Premier or Finance Minister, or both, may go to London to negotiate directly with Mr. Baldwin and Mr. Churchill,-Reuter.

#### THE OPIUM CONFERENCE.

London, February 9. The Times regrets the withdrawal of the Chinese and American

delegations from Geneva, and is of the opinion that it should not condemn the conference to sterility. The conference still has Viscount Cecil's practical proposals before it, and will not have met in vain if an advance is made along those lines, though the proposals are unfortunately dependent on the suppression of opium smuggling in China.

The Times adds that it has become notorious that the present hostilities that have distracted the country, are little more than a "Drug War," in which the chief aim of the leaders is often inspired by a desire to occupy the best poppy-growing regions, where enormous revenues are derivable from illicit but open trade in opium.—Reuter.

#### NAVAL MISHAP.

Vancouver, February 9. Nine sailors belonging to the visiting Japanese squadron are missing as the result of the capsizing of a launch, in which a large this morning, we were informed following cable quotations of scorers being Woodfull (60) and party was returning from shore leave.

The launch contained eighteen men, returning to the crulser and collapsed, six wickets falling Idzumo. Seven were rescued and eleven drowned. The capsizing of the Langkats (comb.) -Tla. 2012, for 14 runs, when stumps were launch was due to a collision with accar ferry at midnight.

Four junior officers were among the eleven drowned .--

#### THE WASHINGTON TREATY.

Tokyo, February a. The battleship Tosa has been sunk in accordant " Washington conference.-Reuter.



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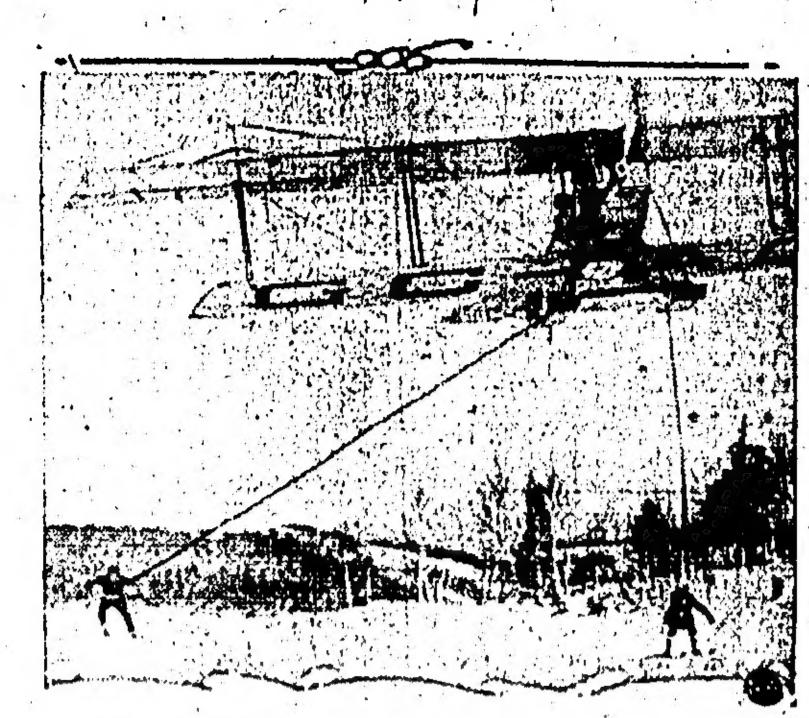
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# CAMERA NEWS



PRESERVATION OF ST. PAUL'S.—Experimental work in grouting under pressure was carried out on the north-east plot for the Commission of experts. Our photograph shows borings in the plot through which the cement is forced. ("The Times" copyright photograph).



NEW SPORTS,—Aeropiane ski-ing is the latest sport at St Jovite on Lake Tremblant, in the Laurentian Mountains, near Montreal. A plane, flying low, tows men and women on skis or to-boggans, at a speed frequently reaching 70 miles an hour.



MEET OF THE PYTCHLEY AT BROCKHALL.—There was a big field at the meet at Brockhall after the Hunt Ball at Northampton. The field moving towards the first covert. ("The Times" copyright photograph).



BIG GAME.—Dietrich Wortman of New York, says this is the biggest buck killed in Adirondacks this season. It was brought down at Westport, near Lake Champlain.



HYPNOTISED.—Here is shown Professor Eugene Duployen de Gyn, master of Applied Psychology of the Psychological Institute, Bucharest, as he produces a state of catalepsy in a deadly Australian snake. Considering the fact that a snake has hypnotic eyes of his own, the feat is a remarkable one. The professor claims that by means of hypnotism he can cure many mental discretes.



FLOODS IN SOUTH ESSEX.— Hundreds of acres in the Wanstead and Woodford districts of Essex were recently under water. Our photograph shows a scene taken near Woodford Bridge. ("The Times" copyright photograph.)



WHERE TROOPS WERE INTERNED.—Our photo gives a panoramic view of the Avenue Helg Riding School at Shanghal were 6,500 Chipere soldiera [were Interned, pandible their ultimate disposal. On the day this picture was taken the whole camp as a sea of mud, with a centinuation of the desergour adding to the missay of the prisopers.

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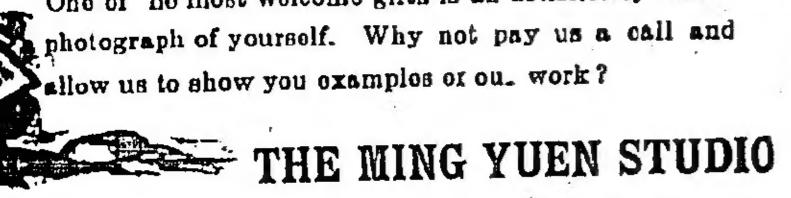
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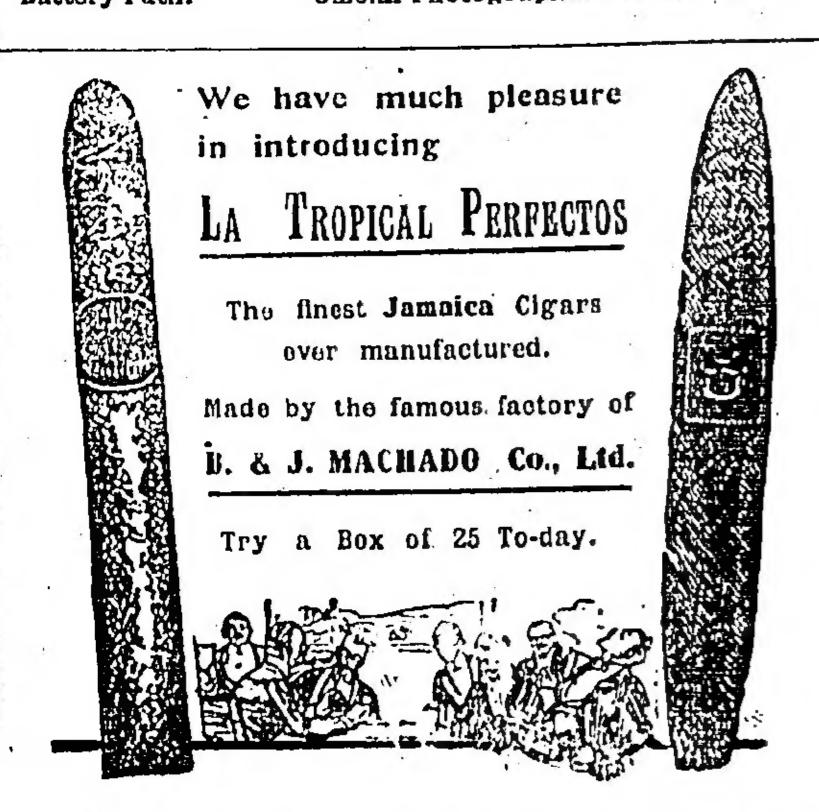
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#### CHARM OF INSECT COLLECTING.

#### Professor's Advice to Beginners,

Balfour Browne, lecturer Zoology (entomology,) University locture, Mr. Browne dealt with said, insect collecting is morely masters represented. an incident, like the meanles One catches the complaint from Such people could look back upon the time when they shamelessly ran about with a butterfly nota period in their life which they afterwards regretted. The broken and mouldy things of the collection were to be found from time to time amongst the rubbish of the house, to remind them of their transient weakness But some never recovered from this complaint, and it was with the hope that many of those present might catch it that he wished to talk to them upon particular lines of work. Different collectors there they would hardly be boys tors started, said the lecturer, if they did not show it. Simipurchase the "choicest fresh larly, as the Headmaster of meats, bake-stuffs, vegetables, from a desire to accumulate an pessoss something of their own and like stamp collecting, insects were easy to get.

bestle, which two collectors said schoolmasters have properly to had not been seen for 60 or 70 be on their guard. If education years, and they wanted to know always resulted for the where he found it. He pointed educated in an appreciation of to two specimens in his aquarium, values and an ability of disand offered thom to his visitors; tinguishing between what is of but they preferred to look for value and what is not, betting as thom in the proper habitat. They a national amusement might be returned, however, without suc- sensibly reduced and the merely cess and eventually took out the distractive powers of a scientific specimens from the aquarium, toy counteracted. Later, however, when they were searching another pond, they that they caught the specimens another in its circumstances," thomselves.

#### AMUSING, MISTAKES.

One of the lines which all collectors took up as soon as they ed at some length, was particulartroubled to do this and sent them Scotland, who sent his specimens

river, or a lake.

to ask why were species capable ancient languages are studied for these are got rid of they will of being grouped, they would be not quite the same purposes as always be a fountain of wealth getting out of mere collecting the modern: the spirit behind to the trader, and a thorn in into its scientific aspect. He did them is what has to be cap- the side to the Administration. not hope that they would develop tured. But whether Perse "Lack of nickel coinage and into entomologists or hotanists, methods are feasible in other small change in the market gives but anyone who collected insects schools or not, the Perso influence the trader and the moneychanger could leave behind him work has been working for years to- the chance of making a very good which could be used by others in wards a more humane Latin cur- living at the expense of the local which could be used by others in wards a mere humane Latin curthe way he had described. In riculum for beginners than the inhabitants," adds the report.
his other lectures he would deal old. Archaeology, too, has helped "This is done with the greatest WHY with the life-history of insects and the fact that a Society for the case; the trader and the moneywhich involved, said Mr. Browne, Promotion of Roman Studies now changer are a combine. The greater concentration and con- exists for students in the higher unfortunate local inhabitant tinuous work.

various countries during 1924. to the modern world that it would to the trader who gives him not These included new values for be to take too narrow a view to a shilling's worth of salt but six the Protected State of Brunei, hold that there is but one way of hundred cowries' worth, saying showing a view of "the Venice opening the door to them .- quite glibly that one thousand of the East.

#### MODERN EDUCATION.

#### The Headmasters and Latin.

The Headmasters Conference, The first of a series of six Christmas lectures, "adapted to a arlestreet, recently, by Mr. Frank subjects even if it arrived at no New York State penitentiary, is in notable decision on any. This now looking into the liberality be of equal importance or urgency

> nor the leisure for that perilous plaints of favouritism and form of excitement. But in day surry at Sing-Sing.
>
> Schools the pupils are bound to It discloses that prisoners with tions of wireless are likely to articles." Prisoners

But it would be a mistake to car took the tubes containing the base upon the report of the pro- To the red-breast's trill, or the beetles and emptied them in coodings of the Conference any loon's lone call, might immediately capture them of betting at large in our schools; fall,

This subject, which was discuss- On the rain of flowers that jewel started collecting was naming by appropriate for a meeting at Once having seen the dawn, I Cambridge, because one of the schools there, the Perse, has been Often, betimes, for that surprise to an authority to be named, famous for a good many years Of its beginning, the ancient way, now for the direct teaching given A paller, a presence, and in the to Dr. Sharpe to be named, would by the Headmaster, Dr. Rouse, and his assistants. The direct Something, it seems, that once I put them back in the wrong method as pursued at the Perse places in the box, which naturally has been highly successfull but it Lost again the drying dow. has not yet established itself in all I know not where I go, nor why The second line of work was over others. But whatever Perse The sight of Orion in the sky, the life-history of insects, and methods lead to ultimately, there many collectors got so interested can hardly be any dogmatizing in it that they took up this line to about them. As the types of With a joy beyond telling my the exclusion of other work. school where Latin is taught are The third line was one which not uniform, it may well be that was before them when they there is no one method of teachstarted collecting, and was easily ing it, though a change-over developed. They soon discovered midway from the old to the new that the woods, the open fields, might almost certainly be and the marshes had their own bad. In schools where Latin particular insects, which were is not studied more than two distributed about the country in or three years by the majority, a particular way. Some were it becomes a question not how to be found in the mountains perfection can be attained, but only, others in the valleys; how much can be got into the so that they had a habitat, or time. By the older teaching, localisation, according to the im- which was slow if sure, many mediate surroundings. Most of fell out by the way of sheer his own collecting had been con- exhaustion and grow up to detest fined to one group of insects, the tyranny. A really tyrannical natives is described in a Colonial namely, water-beetles, whose Latin course, leading to very Office report, issued recently on types differed with the nature of little, but occupying much time, the Northern Territories of the the water in which they lived, is hardly to be tolerated Gold Coast.

The lake, the river, and the stream in these days when there are oach possessed its different community, and by looking at the
insect a collector would know
There may be cases when a good

There may be cases when a good whother it came from a pond, a don't should be sacrificed, pro. tensively in the Northern Provided that life is imparted into vince, and the Acting Com-When young collectors began the lesson from the first, for the missioner reports that until anks shows that Latin as a sub- presents a shilling to buy Approximately 1,250 new stamps have been issued by various countries during 1024

#### PRISON SCANDALS.

#### An American Enquiry.

The State Prison Commission, which has been investigating which met just before Christmas charges of luxury, ease, and at Cambridge, discussed many favouritism at Sing Sing, the with which the State Board of may have been partly because Parole has been releasing conseveral of the questions which viots after they have served the were ventilated were not felt to minimum time allowed by the terms of their sentence, comments a contemporary.

Attention has been called to the matter by the order for the release without restrictions of That of free places, for in- Robert Brindell, who a short time meone, and usually recovers stance, is of more concern to age was convicted of using his betting also, which was reported money from building contractors to be quite a common practice on threats of ordering a strike. among the pupils of some second- Six years of Brindell's maximum ary schools, is probably unknown sontonco romain to be served. among boys elsowhere whose time The preliminary report of the is so fully mapped out for them investigating commission, it is that they have neither the need said, substantiates the com-

reflect the influences of their large sums of money at their home life r ore closely than these command through relatives and in public schools; if botting and friends can arrange for monthly bookmaking are in the atmosp deposits to their credit as high as Bradford Grammar School com- high-priced eigars, high class artiplained the other day, the distrac- cles of apparel, and unusual toilet prove a temptation to day boys. funds are employed by the While neither betting not listen- richer inmates to wait on them Referring to what he termed ing-in is invariably a vice in and act as servants. Many crank" collectors, one of whose adults they may be dangerous prisoners refrained from eating whims was never to put into temptations to unformed charac- meals in the general mess hall, their collection anything they ters whose business as school but prepared all their meals had not caught themselves, Mr. bodys is something quite outside with food purchased Browne told a story of his dis-different; but they illustrate from the commissariat.

#### TRAVELLING.

The following fine thought is contributed by Mr. Frederick Niven to a recent issue of the

Where am I going to, passing

Listening, looking, londing an

the water, in order that they conclusion as to the prevalence To the deep tom-tom of a water-

in their net, and be able to say so much does one differ from To the sigh of wind in fir-tree And hushed in the silence when Likowise it is probable that no

that stops? hard and fast rule can be laid Where am I going to, gazing down about the teaching of Latin.

the ground?

The swerve of a bird, the curve

of a hill. whole heart fill. -Looking, listening, I am glad,

With a wealth not wealthy Crossus had, Looking, listoning, passing by, Although I know not where go I.

#### SHELLS AS MONEY.

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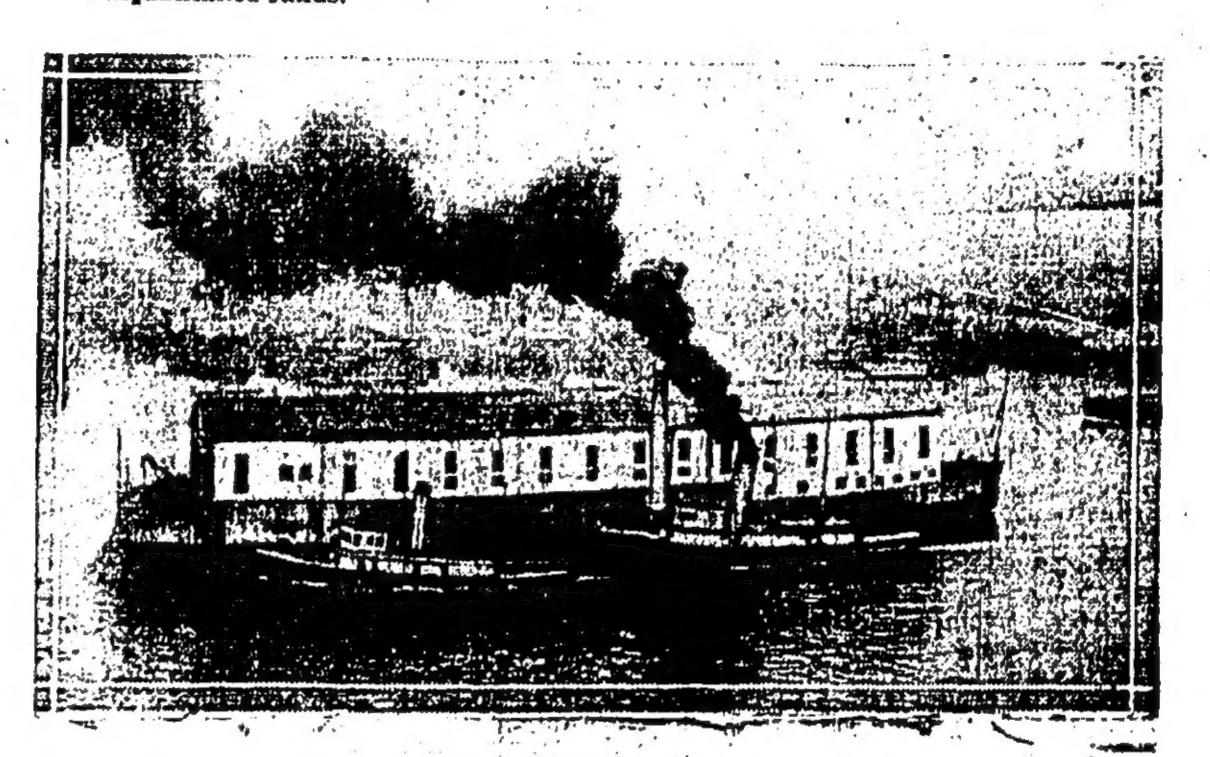
tich your step," might be Mrs. Coolidge's remark and the President try out their first pair of skis on nite House lawn, despite the absence of snow. The verd a present from the National Ski Association of rice along with an invitation to attend the ski meet in 3ry at Canton, S. D.



Dr. Oscar Hartmann, a prominent German banker, believes his European col-leagues frequently go to the United States with mistaken notions. He says most of them seem to think America has unlimited funds.



This is a new picture of Mrs Corbott Ashby, the English suffragist, who has been elected president of the International Suffrage Alliance in Rome.

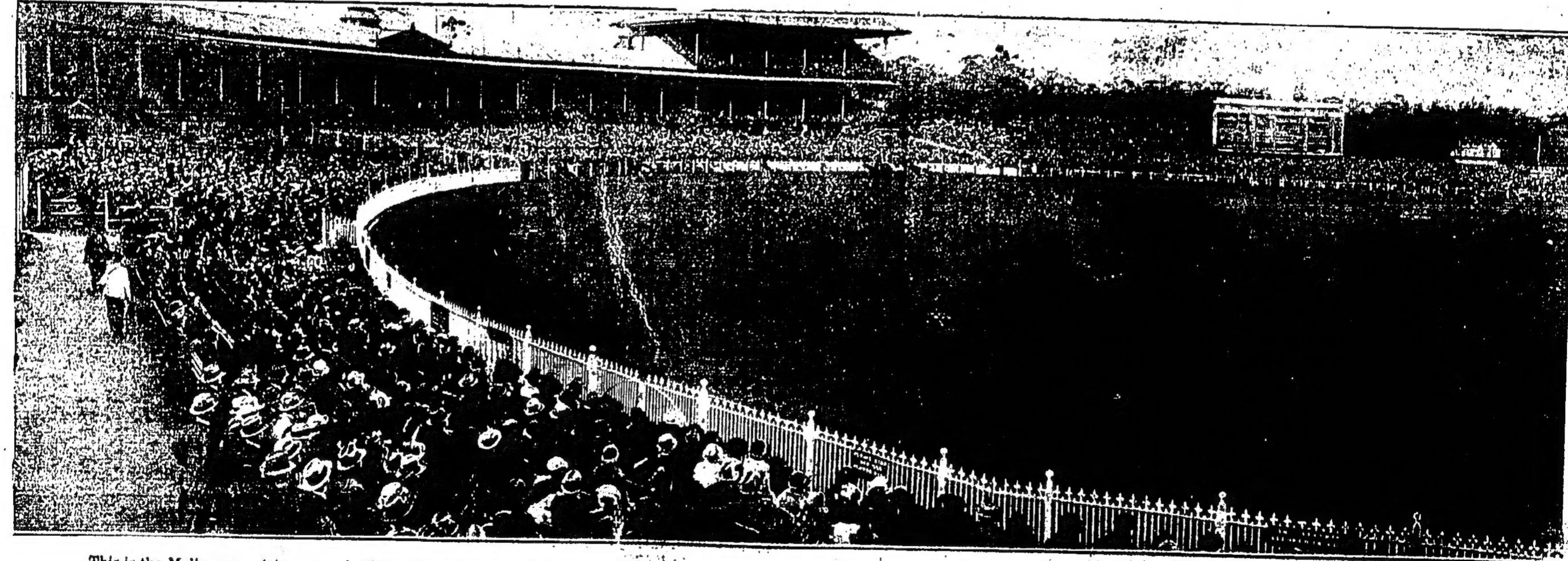


The battleship Illineis has been converted into a floating armoury, and is shown being towed past the Brooklyn Bridge to its new home in the North River. New York, Twhere it will serve as addrill shed for the Naval Militia.

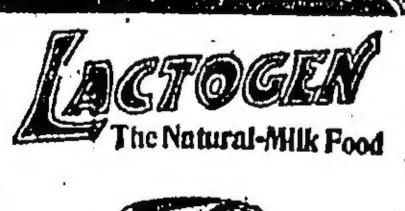


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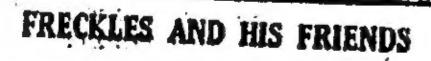
O., new president of the American Federation of Labour. It was taken in New York immediately following his election by the executive council as the late Mr Samuel M. Gompers



This is the Melbourne cricket ground, where the second Test match was played, and where the fourth Test will commence on Friday. The Australians are attending these contests in dense crowds,







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#### SHAKESPEARE-BACON CONTROVERSY.

LECTURE AT HELENA MAY INSTITUTE.

The lecture at the Helena May Institute last evening by Mr. A. H Crook, was attended by a good audience among whom was Lady Severn whose interest in everything known.

interesting, the speaker holding his Chinese Chambers of Commerce. audience throughout, and by mauring presentation of fact and argument gained greater consideration for thom than might otherwise have been the case.

Listening to the opening sentences of the lecture one was convinced be a Government enterprise, but that Mr. Crook was a hard bitten Government control is not likely Baconian, but the conclision left to detract from its popularity, as his audience in something of a quantall the features will be preserved. dary as to his real standpoint in the The personnel this year, comprismatter.

moent at the feet of Professor, Doughton who was probably the greatest living authority on Shakes. Messes. Harry Wicking and the conclusion that there was a sort required for the Exhibition. of high prieathood of Strutford-on-Stratford-on-Avon person had written Hamlet, but it proved nothing. Other literary persons notably Henry James had cailed Shakespeare a divine finud. As a matter of fact, all that was known of the man could be written on a post card. At his death and for seven years after 13 plays signed William Shakespeare and three initialled W. S. came to light and seven of the total were not accepted by any body as coming from his pen-Shakespeare's Wide Knowledge.

The first folio of Shakespeare as produced was shrouded in mystery and Ben Jonson's dedicatory verses were regarded as a leg-pull. Many | U.c 0 inch. Total since January pages were wrongly numbered and some had no numbers at all. Of average of 204 inches. the Tempest, most enigmatical of the plays, it was thought that, a large slice had been lost.

Referring to the wonderful knowledge shown in the plays, the lecturer said that the author's grasp of legal matters and appreciation of law terms was extraordinary and therefore many biographers had 3 H'kong to Gap | fresh; made of him a lawyer's clerks, quoting that part of his plays which dealt with things medical had said that he must be a doctor, while others claimed him as a schoolmaster who taught at Ovid, although that book was not translated at the time, were in confliction with the

If the writer was born in Strate ford-on-Avon and brought up there, the facts of the case did not fit in even though he was a genius. His classied knowledge could not have been gained in a village school for it puzzled many people even now. controversialists go so far as to say that Shakespeare was George Bernard Shaw in one of his earlier incarnations, conshowed that the fourth letter from from the back of the book spelt in which the verses appear. Bernard Shaw, and this was very much more conclusively an establisment of the re-incarnation theory than the whole collection of recent letters to the Press.

The plays had also been ascribed to Edward de Vere, Earl of Oxford, and to Francis Bucon, Lord Verney, but the order of the plays together with the incidents of his life where such varied knowledge could be acquired, bear out that the latter was the real author. There were many instances of similarity of expression in the works of Shakespeare and Bacon, and this was particularly shown in a case where both quoted Aristotle wrongly and in the same

#### J. C. Squire's Anagram.

plays of Francis Bacon are pre- Bacon. ticity.

#### EMPIRE EXHIBITION:

PURCHASING AGENTS APPOINTED.

Except for the appointment of

a small committee of three, whose duty will be to advise the Government in regard to the selection of goods for the Exhibition, no start has been made with the arrangements in connection with Hongconnected with the Institute is well kong's participation in the Empire Exhibition. The Committee re-The lecture was more than usually presents, both the foreign and his The Chinese Chamber has not nominated its representative, and lit is expected that nothing will be done with the general scheme juntil the Committee has met,

Hongkong Section this year will ing 110 men and women, is not Commencing with his early days, as large as last year's. A prominent Chinese business man has been requested to get the staT

peare at the time, Mr. Crook spoke Company have been appointed of his first interest in the great con- purchasing agents and will be is conducted by the HONGKONG troversy. He said he had come to responsible for ordering the goods AND SHANGHAI BANKING

The Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, be obtained on application. Avon who would not recognise facts, Secretary for Chinese Affairs. Sir Sidney Lee had written 250 pages who acted as Commissioner last of irrelevancies to: prove that the year, is going again in that capacity, leaving on March 10. There will be no Associate Commissioneers, as the plans do not necessitute their services.

#### VEATHER REPORT.

has decreased very considerably RENT RATES. over Japan, and increased slightly to moderately elsewhere.

An anticyclone of considerable intensity has developed over N. China, and a depression is situated over N Japan. Fresh to strong monecon will prevail along the coast and over the China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day 1st, 4.33 inches, against ar

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW. District. Forecast

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H.K. & Hainan T. F. CLAXTON, Director Hongkong, February 10.

No Shakespearian would listen Bas. party who assigned to him the role to a word about the Northumberof courtier and country gentleman, land Manuscript, which in many ways proved Bacon to be the real Columbia Trust Co. author. The only person who could throw any real light on the and Exchange Business transactsubject was Ben Jonson, and he ed, Correspondents throughout said nothing, or very little at most. | the world. His poem "The Poet Ape" was accepted by Baconians as his real opinion of Shakespeare, while the dedicatory verses in the first folio were said to be his appreciation of the real author whose identity he suspected or knew. He had tinued Mr. Crook and to prove it lived with Bacon for many years as a translator and was doing so the end of each play title working when the first folio was published

Gladstone Wrote Browning.

Mr. Crook then related his experience with a friend who said that he could advance as good a theory as the Baconians to the effect that the late Mr. Gladstone had written Browning's poems and outlined his arguments in quite convincing manner. Their erudition, their obscurity, their love for Italy, their optimism, similarity of phrasing, and an anagrammatic twist of wording supported the contention. Browning had little schooling and no University education and yet spoke with knowledge pertaining to such influences. He also spoke of "making Rothschild quake." And who could do this but a Chancellor of the Exchequer? asked the Then there was the famous lecturer. All these things were anagram which solved out "These as good for Gladstone as for

served for the world." Along In conclusion, Mr. Crooks said balances of over \$100.00: these lines Mr. J. C. Squire had that having proved conclusively said "Never believe a Baconian" that Bernard Shaw had written and in support of this quoted an Shakespeare, although the author instance where he had written a was probably Francis Bacon and noem himself and ascribing it to that Gladstone had written Brown-Green, had said in print that he ing's poems, he would ask his was surprised that, no Baconian audience not to believe anything had used it as evidence of the he had said, but to use their own falsity of Shakespeare's claim, mind. They should not harden Surely enough, shortly afterwards down to one point of view, but Sir Edward Durney Lawrence did should believe nothing and test so use, it without consulting everything. As the Latin phrase Green's work to verify the authen- said, "Prove everything, and keep to that which is good.".

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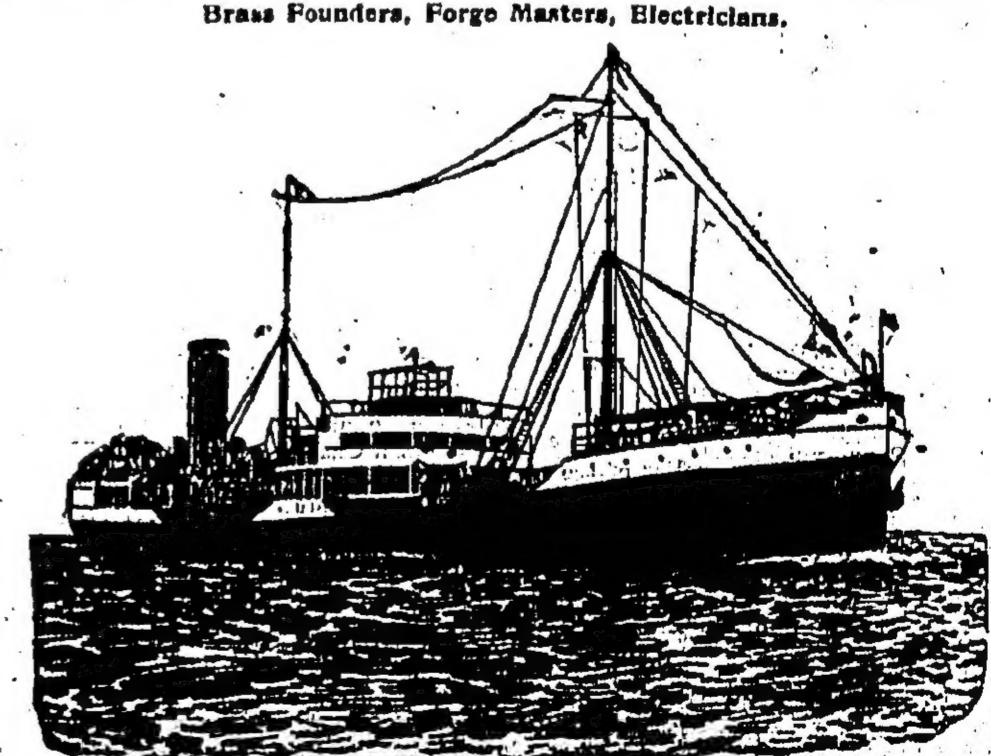
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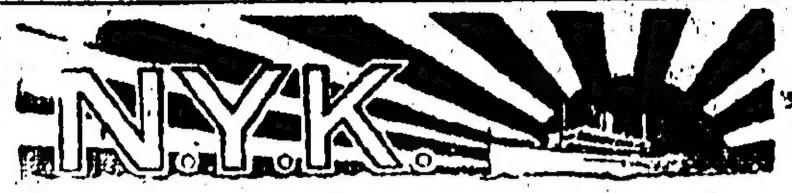
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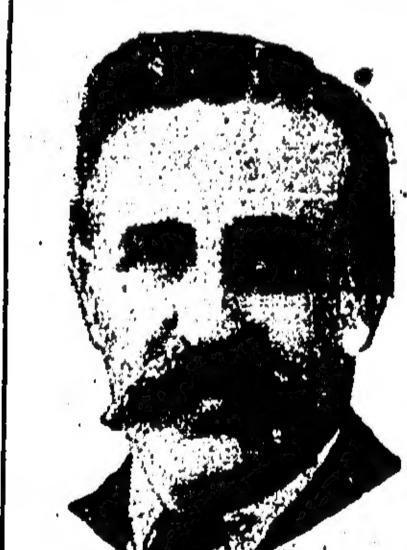
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ront. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representatives on any Tuesdays Diesel & Fridays, at 2.30 p.m. within the built to order. Apply by letter free storage period.

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to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Under signed on or before 23rd. Feb 1924, or they will not be recognized.

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once can be given in any of them.

The Chinese Maritime Customs

at Canton are having are handled. Terms generally keeping in place their lights on the various buoys and and semi-diesel beacons, that are kept as aids to navigation. Those lamps, which are mostly ordinary keroseneburning lights, are constantly being stolen and taken away by bandits. Whether this is done simply to got a few lights for nothing, or if it is really a deeper and more sinister scheme to get vessels stranded in order to have them pirated later, is not known, but it has been reported that only about a week ago, the sampan man who is tending these lights was held up and taken away into captivity. It must be remembered; misory for so many. The remedy however, that the wire cables holding the buoys above the second bar near Wuchow in place, have at times been cut away and stolen by the junks and lumber raft people more because of the greed and ignorance of these persons than because there were any piracies contemplated.

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